THE EVENING NEWS.

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COL. BLISS MAY RUN

The Saginaw Statesman Still Has an Ambition to be Governor of Michigan.

HE FEARS PINGREE ONLY.

As Between Bliss and O'Donnell the Former Will Bet on Himself.

Detroit, Jan. 13.—It developed during the recent visit of Senator Burrows to this city that Col. A. T. Bliss of Saginaw had not given up all hope of becoming governor of Michigan.

He said he would go into the contest if he thought there was any chance of winning or if he thought there was any likelihood of O'Donnell's getting the nomination. He was of the opinion, however, that Governor Pingree could not be beaten. Frank W. Wait of Sturgis, DeVere Hall of Bay City and Frank Gilchrist of Alpena, did not agree with Col. Bliss, but declared that Pingree could be turned down "if the boys" went at it right.

ADJOURNED.

Tunnel Stockholders Did No Business Today.

Stockholders of the tunnel company gathered at the office of the company at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Great Northern iron works building, but the election of directors was postponed.

The injunction still bothers the stockholders. They will meet again tomorrow afternoon.

IN DARKNESS.

Big Rapids in Trouble With the Lighting Company.

Big Rapids, Jan. 13.—The city was in total darkness last night, and from the situation of affairs it looks as if it might be for some time. The old contract with the Donley Electric light company expired and the city has refused to let another contract to the company unless it will light the city for the same price per light that it did during the last year. It appears the company made a mistake in making its bid for the last year's lighting and was losing money on the contract. Mayor Dodge and the common council have thus far failed to agree upon what shall be done.

January Jury Drawn.

January jury drawn this afternoon as ollows:

D. W. Kean, Weesaw.
H. C. Desiele, Watervleit.
C. O. Hess, Three Oaks.
Charles M. Carlton, Royalton.
Abel Glade, Sodus.
B. H. Van Camp, Benton.
Arthur Myers, Berrien.
Charles Miller, Jacob Seel, Charles Keeler and Charles H. Moulton, St. Joseph.
Henry Shuler, Lake.
John McSallon, Buchanan.
George T. Merrill, Hagar.
Frank Jones, Benton Harbor.
John Chaddock, Benton Harbor.
George F. Bakeman, Benton Harbor.
George M. Thresher, Benton Harbor.
Justice Steiner, Niles.
Victor Wahl, New Buffalo.
George W. Halliday, Lincoln.
Lane Ballenberg, Chicaming.
Amos S. Rounds, Galien.
David Destley, Bertrand.
August Dukeshere, Bainbridge.
H. S. Cone, St. Joseph.
A. D. Ely, Pipestone.
Irving Helmick, Oronoko.
W. D. Graves, O. H. Smith, W. T. Adams and S. C. Burke, Niles.

Not Expected to Live.

A. Hamlin is very sick at his home on Baird street and not expected to live the day through.

A St. Joseph Invention.

Carl Enberg, of St. Joseph, has just secured a patent on a rotary engine.

An Explosive Social.

An "Explosive Motto" social will be given under the auspices of the Epworth league at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. French, Friday evening, January 14.

It promises to be the most unique and novel entertainment of the kind ever given here. Refreshments will be served, also a short musical program will be rendered. Everybody is most cordially invited.

Great bargains at The Globe, 112 Pipestone street.

Clean Your Walks.

Owners of property in Benton Harbor are hereby reminded that section 12 of a city ordinance relative to the use of streets, alleys, bridges, sidewalks, public places and public property expressly provides that when property owners fail to keep their sidewalks free from snow and ice it shall be the duty of the street commissioner to order those sidewalks cleared by the city at the expense of the property owners.

W. B. SHANKLAND,
Street Commissioner.

THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday. Brisk winds.

ROLLER SKATES.

Interest in That Amusement Will Be Revived Here.

The pavilion at the end of the street car line will shortly be opened by a company of which Jessie L. Stevens is manager, as a cycle roller skating rink.

Cycle skating is the sensation of the day and the pavilion will be operated on the same plan as Tattersall's of Chicago and the Olympia of London. The manager has secured a number of the new ball-bearing cycle skates used only in the above mentioned places of amusement. Fancy dress balls on roller skates will be given and other amusements to attract the public.

Miss Stevens is better known as the wife of Charles Swan, formerly a band leader in this city. She is a resident of Stevensville and her last appearance on the stage here was with the John Griffith company who played Faust. The rink will be open next week.

A NEW LEADER.

New York Journal Pepudiates W. J. Bryan.

The leading editorial writer on the New York Journal in a signed editorial writes:

As a Bryan democrat I have to confess that I grow weary of Mr. Bryan, and this is important, because I find myself in a constantly increasing company. With these other eastern democrats I am coming to believe that he is not large enough to be the leader of the cause which is known by his name. Of his energy and his brilliancy as a political speaker so high an opinion must be held as when he made that marvelous tour of the union, arousing the people everywhere with his earnest and dashing eloquence. But he no longer impresses as a great man nor as one of the highest sincerity.

He is showing narrowness, or irrational obstinacy either of which should be detrimental to his ambition, and most hurtful to the immediate prospects of the movement he represents. The persistence with which he clings to 16 to 1, as if that were the solitary tenet in the democrat's creed, the axis of the revolving cosmos, betrays either Mr. Bryan's incapacity to comprehend Bryanism or a dogged disposition that refuses to acknowledge what is presented to his eyes and those of every other intelligent man in this country, whether for or against the Chicago platform of the new democracy.

NEW CHURCH.

It Will Be Built in the Village of Stevensville.

Articles of association were filed with the county clerk this morning for the Zion Protestant church, a new organization for the village of Stevensville. A minister has been engaged from Wisconsin and the church starts out in a flourishing condition.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Thomas A. Edison denies the story sent out that he had discovered a new metal.

The customs receipts yesterday were $889,024, the heaviest since the new tariff went into effect.

The vote of the Weavers' union at New Bedford, Mass., was 655 for striking to five against.

Judge Scott, of the district court at Omaha, holds the law under which the Omaha police commission is appointed to be unconstitutional.

W. G. Dustin, of the Dwight Herald, has been elected president of the Illinois Republican Editorial association.

News has been received at Calcutta from Metram, in Beluchistan, of an outbreak against a British survey party there.

Susan B. Abel, deal in carpet and wall paper at Decatur, Ills., has made an assignment. Liabilities and assets each about $10,500.

The Japanese transport steamer Nara, of 2,510 tons, bound to the Peccadores, was wrecked on Dec. 24 and about eighty lives lost.

The El Heraldo, of Madrid, says it learns that Senor Gullon, the foreign minister, has received a "disquieting dispatch" from Washington.

Justice A. W. Newman, of the Wisconsin supreme court, who fractured his skull by a fall on an icy sidewalk Tuesday, died at 11:30 yesterday.

The capital of Amboyna, one of the Moluccas islands, has been completely demolished by an earthquake. Fifty persons were killed and 200 injured.

At a meeting of the New York board of trade a resolution was adopted indorsing Senator Gray's bill for the establishment of an international bank.

The London morning papers announce that the First battalion of grenadiers, now at Gibraltar, has been ordered to get in readiness for service in Egypt.

A dispatch to the London Daily Mail from Biarritz says the Carlist movement in Spain is growing so rapidly that a rising is possible sooner than had been expected.

A parliamentary bye-election held in Plymouth to fill the vacancy caused by the death of a Radical, resulted in the election of the Conservative and Liberal-Unionist candidate.

Thirty-nine cadets were discharged from West Point, having been found deficient in their studies. Among them were George H. Baird, Elmer L. Ham, William F. Larkin and Omar F. Telforth, of Illinois.

BUSINESS TRANSFERS.

A Charlotte Man Has Bought A. T. Patterson's Progressive Printing Office.

DR. WHITE A SHOE MERCHANT.

He Has Purchased the Shoe Stock of W. L. Hogue and Taken Possession.

Two business houses in this city changed ownership this morning. Dr. S. M. White bought the W. L. Hogue stock of boots and shoes and John R. Colvin of Charlotte, purchased the printing establishment formerly owned and conducted by A. T. Patterson.

The job printing house of A. T. Patterson is one of the best known institutions in the city. Mr. Patterson

A. T. PATTERSON,
"The Progressive Printer."

came to this city six years ago and by his application to business and his exceptional talents as a printer has built up a business in the job printing line of greater volume than any other establishment in the city.

Mr. Patterson is known not only as an engraver, but a progressive printer and he is one of the few men who introduce new style in art and progressive. He is a good citizen and a good neighbor. The people of the city will be sorry to lose Mr. Patterson.

John R. Colvin, the purchaser, is a printer who has been at "the case" for 24 years. Lately he was president of the Charlotte Republican, the company that owns the paper formerly edited by General Ainger. He thoroughly understands his business and is to be congratulated upon his purchase of a first-class job plant doing a very successful business.

It was a rather sudden deal between Dr. S. M. White and W. L. Hogue. Mr. Hogue has long desired to retire from the business and he made Dr. White an offer. The offer was accepted and the doctor found himself suddenly the owner of a first-class shoe store.

The store is closed to arrange the stock and will be opened at 9 o'clock Saturday morning and the stock closed out at once.

A. C. Cross of Bangor will assist Dr. White in closing out the stock.

ST. JOSEPH.

Louis Shultz is in Chicago on business.

Mrs. B. F. King will return from a month's visit in Chicago tonight.

Miss Catherine Canavan will have an assembly dance at her dancing school tomorrow evening.

St. Joseph's Catholic society gave a supper at Freund's hall last night. It was well patronized.

The Daughters of Rebekkah will give an entertainment at the Hotel Whitcomb Friday evening.

The K. of P. lodge has decided to move from the Preston building to the new Wells block in a few days.

One of Guy Vesey's legs was amputated last night by Dr. Wilson. Young Vesey was shot while hunting several days ago.

Mesdames A. R. Gould and Kate Keppler will entertain the Twentieth Century Pedro club at the home of the latter tonight. The Twentieth Century is newly organized.

Invitations are out for the grand charity ball to be given at the Academy of Music next Wednesday evening by the Knights of the Maccabees. There will undoubtedly be a large attendance.

The statement in THE NEWS that only six people in St. Joseph signed the local option petition is an indication that while there is "six of one," there will probably be more than a "half dozen of the other."

The Pingree Rifles have reorganized for 1898 and will incorporate as a stock company as the Pingree Rifles association. F. E. Beers was elected captain to succeed himself, Joseph Mason was elected first lieutenant and R. K. Moulton second lieutenant.

Good Times have come to those whom Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured of scrofula, catarrh, dyspepsia, rheumatism, weak nerves, or some other form of impure blood.

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4 lbs. Cottolene	25c
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days.
Who also so fit as he for pleasure's ways?
Men thought him frozen by a selfish pride,
But that his voice was music none denied
Or that his smile was like the sun's warm rays.
One day upon the sands he spoke in praise
Of swimmers who were buffeting the tide.
"The swelling waves of life they dare to meet.
I may not plunge where others safely go.
Unbidden longings in my pulses beat."
O blind and thoughtless world, you little know
That ever round this hero's steadfast feet
Surges and tugs the dreaded undertow!

—Mary Thacher Higginson in Century.

FINALE.

A philosopher once observed that a man's character could be better judged by the books and room he keeps than his company.

Cyril Graves early in life had devoted himself to the study of politics, and all his hopes and fears were centered in that engrossing pursuit. One Wednesday evening he was sitting smoking in his chambers, deeply engrossed in a blue book, when he heard a gentle knock on his door.

"Come in," he shouted, thinking it was his man, and again buried himself in his book.

The door opened and shut quietly, and he still read on, and then suddenly looked up. There, standing in a dejected attitude, was the wreck of what had been a lovely woman. Graves sprang to his feet, his face pale and stern, for, in front of him, was his justly divorced wife.

"You, Bertha, here in my rooms!" He moved over to the bell.

"Don't ring it," she wailed. "I watched your servant go out and wanted to speak to you, ah, so badly."

"Now, look here, Bertha, you dragged my name in the dust, you nearly ruined my career, and now, when you have been justly punished, you come back. What do you want—money?"

His tones were icy in their coldness, and the weak, degraded creature before him shivered as she heard the last words.

"Cyril—I've no right to come to you, I know, but the world is so cold and wretched to a woman, and God alone knows how low I've fallen. Cannot you take me back?" She sank into a chair and began to cry silently.

"Take you back!" he cried, his eyes glittering with fury, while with uneven strides he paced the room. "Take you back and become the laughing stock of London. What! Go and rusticate in some dreary hole until you left me again? You forget what you are."

The insult lashed fresh life and spirit into the cowering woman.

"And who made me what I am?" she said, with her color rising, and her breath coming and going rapidly.

"Not I," he replied with a sneer.

"If not you, who did? When you first met me at my father's rectory, I was as simple minded a girl as any in the land. You made me marry you, did you not?" Her tone was insistent.

"Well, suppose I did?" he answered gloomily.

"You took me to a dull house in this London town, and there you left me. Night after night you went to your political meetings and to your house of commons and gave me what was left of your time. You fed me and clothed me, it's true, and there it ended. You encouraged me to mix in society and never troubled to protect me as you should have done, and then, when I left you, more from heart sickness and from a desire to be loved and petted by some one than from any other cause, you divorced me and received the condolences of your friends. Bah! You are the man who is responsible for my ruin, and you only. Money! I scorn your money, and never until I die will I trouble you again."

She left the room abruptly, leaving Graves a prey to the most conflicting emotions. Her indictment was, he felt, only too true, and a feeling of shame came over him.

He unlocked his safe and took out his will and read it slowly through, then took a sheet of paper and wrote rapidly and replaced both in the safe.

"There!" he said. "I shall never marry again, and if I die before her—who knows?—it may make a difference if she has the control of money. If I could only have my time over again!"

The great debate was over, and Cyril Graves was its hero. Secure in the self reliance that a thorough knowledge of his subject gives its possessor, he had held the house spellbound for over an hour and sat down amid a chorus of approving cheers. In the lobby his friends crowded around him with hearty congratulations, and already in his mind's eye he saw that his days as an obscure private member were over. The larger life of a leader of men, with all its brilliant possibilities, seemed to lie open before him, and he gloried in it.

To quiet down his overstrained nerves he took his hat and coat, and although it was long past midnight made his way to the embankment, a favorite walk of his when engaged in deep thought. There was a full moon, and the night was very still, and, lost in reverie, he leaned over the balustrade and gazed idly upon the glistening, silvery river below him.

The utter peace and quietude of the scene soothed him, and he was just about to leave when a heavy hand was laid upon his shoulder.

"Don't do it, sir. Just think over it," was muttered in his ear.

He turned sharply and found a policeman looking at him with commiseration.

"Good God, constable, you don't think I'm going to jump in the river, do you? Man alive, can't any one walk on the embankment without doing that?"

"Aren't you Mr. Graves, the member for East Bucks, sir?" said the man.

"Yes, I am. We had a hot debate at [illegible] know me?" queried Graves.

"Lord bless you, sir, I am a Buckman myself, and a stanch supporter of yours. But don't 'ee, sir, come here again like this. It ain't safe, for we call it one of the most risky beats in London. We get down here men as are desperate for want of food and shelter. I believe half the bodies they fish out of the river come from along here."

There was such a feeling in the man's tone that Graves was touched and felt in his pocket for some money.

Suddenly 80 yards up he saw a figure outlined against the sky, and then disappear with a loud shriek and a splash.

An awful cry of "Help!" echoed through the still night air.

"Good God, sir, a woman's gone in, and I can't swim a stroke," groaned the policeman. "What shall we do?"

"Do?" said Graves. "I'll go in myself. Get on the pier below here, for the tide will bring us down, and you may be able to lend a hand."

While he spoke he tore off his boots, slipped off his coat and trousers and stood for an instant on the balustrade looking for the suicide.

"Help, help!" she shrieked, coming once more to the surface. With a muttered prayer Graves dived into the water. Coming up, he shook the water from his head and eyes and with a long, graceful side stroke made for the sinking woman.

All his faculties were keenly awake. He felt that power, life and reputation itself were nothing to the delight of saving some despairing creature from a terrible death. The policeman cheered him on with hearty shouts, and he spurted just in time to clutch the woman by the hair. To his horror he saw that it was his cast off wife.

"Let me sink!" she gasped.

"Never!" he said between his teeth. "You said I was responsible for your fall. I'll not be so for your death. Put your hands on my hips, and I'll do all I can. Don't struggle, but kick out when I do. Come, Bee"—an old, old diminutive of fond days—"try and live."

The woman did as she was told, and perhaps loved and reverenced him more in those few minutes than ever she had before.

With dogged pluck Graves put forth all his strength, but he knew he was failing. His breath came and went in great gasps, and his arms felt like lead. An awful desire to rest came over him, which the woman seemed to guess.

"Let me drown, Cyril. Save yourself," she said.

"It's all right, sir!" shouted the constable. "A few more strokes, and I can help you!"

It was too late, however, for even as the man's friendly hand closed on the woman's dress Graves fell back exhausted and sank like a log.

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A woman whom all the night policemen know and respect haunts the foul places of London night after night, relieving and comforting the lost of both sexes.

There is an unknown benefactor who gives royally to the homes and shelters of outcast London and who never tires of giving.

And one day a woman whose good deeds will never be chronicled by man will enter the workhouse utterly destitute and will await in meekness and quietude the call that will terminate her checkered career forever.—St. Paul.

The Funny Man.

There is a certain Cleveland lawyer who delights in teasing his wife. He knows how trustful and impressionable she is, and he carries home some of the most preposterous stories just to excite and alarm her.

"By Jove," he said a few evenings ago, "I had a close call today."

"What was it, George?" cried the alarmed wife.

"I crossed the track within a dozen inches of a moving motor."

"Dear, dear! How dreadful! You must be more careful, dear. Did you jump?"

"Nope. Didn't think of it."

"And it didn't hit you?"

"I wouldn't be here now if it had hit me."

"Didn't everybody scream?"

"Nobody noticed it."

"The motorman must have been awfully frightened."

"No; he was looking the other way."

"How careless! And didn't the life saving fender strike you?"

"No, the fender couldn't. It was on the other end of the car."

"The other end?"

"Yes. The car was going the other way."

'Oh, you brute!"

And the funny lawyer laughed until he cried. But some day fate will overtake him.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

How the French Wash Flannels.

The peasants in France wear wool, and they know how to care for it. These competent working women soften the water with bran. Common bran with soap shavings are made up into a bag and boiled in the water. Boiling water softens flannel, but there is also a cleansing and softening power in the bran. Flannels washed in this water at a comfortable temperature to handle will be clean and soft and perfect if properly dried and pressed. A writer in the New York Times says in this connection:

Flannels should never be sprinkled. In this climate they seldom are too dry to press, but sometimes when the air is singularly dry and hot it may be found necessary to moisten them before pressing, and this can be done by wringing heavy towels out of the hottest water possible to bear the hands in and wrapping the flannels in the hot cloths, then rolling them smooth and close and laying in a warm place ready for pressing. If the garment should become too damp, the process of pressing and stretching and turning should be equally prolonged. Experience will determine this.

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ALSO CARPETS CLEANED.

Notice to Water Takers.

Users of city water are reminded that water rentals for the current term were due January 1, 1898. The ordinance provides that where rental is not paid within 10 days from time due the water may be shut off without further notice. No provision is made for sending out a collector, and parties taking water should call at the clerk's office promptly and pay their bills. The clerk is ordered and expected to shut off water after waiting a reasonable time for payment.

All persons are forbidden to use water from hydrants or taps not belonging to themselves, except in cases where special permits are granted, and all persons having taps or hydrants are warned not to allow others to take water from the same, under penalty of having water shut off. This rule will be strictly enforced.

R. P. CHADDOCK,
12t704 Clerk Water Dep't,

T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster, of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by G. M. Bell & Co., Druggists, Benton Harbor, 103 Main street.

Great bargains at The Globe, Pipestone street.

BOR.

THE EVENING NEWS.

THIRD YEAR—NO. 706. BENTON HARBOR, MICH., THURSDAY, JANUARY 13, 1898. ONE CENT.

A TRAMP AT A PARTY

A Great Time at Fair Plain Enjoyed by Fifty Guests Last Evening.

NOVEL STYLE OF A PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pullen Entertained People in an Entirely New and Novel Way.

Fifty guests assembled at the elegant home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pullen in Fair Plain and enjoyed an evening's entertainment rarely equalled in novelty and pleasing features. About a dozen of the guests were from this city and the remainder made up of the neighbors of that populous vicinity. The home was beautifully decorated with flowers and there was a sense of hearty welcome enjoyed by everyone. Mr. Pullen had engaged hacks to carry the Benton Harbor friends out to the party.

When the guests had nicely assembled and were enjoying themselves in pleasant conversation a loud rap was heard at the front door. The hostess waited upon the door and before her stood an ugly looking tramp. He waited for no invitation but brushed himself through the door and demanded something to eat. The ladies were frightened as there was something in the voice of the fellow that seemed to predict trouble. Mrs. Pullen took the matter coolly and from the abundance of the evening she was willing to give her uninvited guest some bread. This did not satisfy the tramp and he proclaimed that he wanted meat also and if he didn't get it he proposed to remain for supper. The hostess then gave him some meat and asked him to withdraw. The tramp seemed to make himself at home and asked Harry Gentle for a handkerchief. Mr. Gentle had put a silk one in his coat pocket before leaving home and he felt for it but the pocket was empty. One of the ladies, half frightened, passed out a handkerchief thus hoping that the tramp would leave. Mr. Tramp held the lady's handkerchief aloft and shook it and from it dropped Mr. Gentle's silk handkerchief. Mrs. Gentle saw her husband's handkerchief drop from the one given the tramp by the young lady and a jealous expression forced itself across her face. The tramp was Charles Parsal, the sleight-of-hand performer of Twelve Corners.

He was introduced to the audience by some stage name and then he gave a fine entertainment for two hours. He borrowed the hat of the always-present Captain James McDonald and asked the captain if he believed in local option. Of course the captain did. Then right in view of the audience he pulled 12 beer bottles filled with beer from the hat of the silver alderman. The hat also contained a large head of cabbage (the captain working on the principle of two heads better than one) and a full suit of baby clothes. The magician disappeared and soon returned as a negro and made as great a hit in that role as he did in his mystery role.

Fair Plain never had so much real enjoyment in a single evening as was furnished at last night's party.

ALGER GUARD NOTES.

The Alger Guard drill was well attended last night and the boys are making great strides in the line of improvement and the order and discipline is a credit to them.

The awkward squad was under the instruction of Sargeant Ehrle and did exceedingly well and for the benefit of those who wish to advance more rapidly he has consented to take charge of the extra drills to be held every Tuesday night.

After the drill last night the company was called together and decided to give an entertainment and dance at an early date.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

BERRIEN SPRINGS HAS CONTRACTED FOR TEN ARC LIGHTS.

The Price Paid is $75 Per Year on a Very Favorable Contract to the City.

Berrien Springs, Jan. 13.—The council has accepted the proposition of J. Sherlock Allen to furnish ten 1,200 candle power arc lights on Ferry street for $75 per light per annum. The village has the option of taking the plant at the end of eighteen months for $1,500 and the cost of poles and wires, guaranteed not to amount to more than $1,000 more. This will give a light every block from the river bridge to the railway depot.

A party of young folks enjoyed a sleighride out to Fred Hall's in Weesaw township Monday night.

Mrs. Frank B. Murdoch, of Benton Harbor, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Julia E. Allen, of Chicago, is visiting her son, J. Sherlock Allen, of "Berrien Court," the name decided upon for the new summer hotel.

There is nothing in the statement going the rounds of the press that Millionaire Chapin of Niles will get his power for operating the Niles and South Bend railway at this place. It can be set down for a fact that all power generated from the proposed dam will be used in the village. That is one of the essential elements to the contract.

CHURCH MEETING.

Congregationalists Accept Their Pastor's Resignation.

At the annual meeting of the First Congregational church last evening the following officers were elected: Trustees, G. F. Sonner and Milton Hinkley; deacons, S. M. Hull and M. D. Wells; deaconesse, Mrs. Toles and Mrs. Brayman; clerk, S. C. Sharpe; treasurer, Edwin Edmunds; members of advisory board, A. P. Cady and S. C. Sharpe.

The trustees recommended that the resignation of Dr. Brooks as pastor be accepted and the report was adopted.

The finances of the church are in a fair condition. No debts are outstanding with the exception of a small amount due the pastor. The average Sunday collections since the first of November have averaged over $31.

ABOUT THE VICINITY.

West Sodus.

West Sodus, Jan. 13.—Elder Wallis preached at the Bethel church last Sunday morning and evening, in the absence of Elder Moffatt. His talk in the evening was in regard to Christianity and science and does science detract from Gospel truths. It was an interesting subject and his hearers would like to hear more on the same subject.

Mrs. William Olds' house was filled to overflowing with the willing workers' last week Thursday.

Galien.

Galien, Jan. 13.—The council met Monday night. Things were made lively, so they say.

The funeral of Mrs. John Swem, who died last Sunday, was held at the Methodist church yesterday. Rev. Birdsey officiated.

Jay Jones is taking Miss Roger's place as assistant in the Galien school for this week, it being thought that she was exposed to diphtheria.

L. O. T. M. installation occurred Wednseday afternoon.

Another death occurred in the Ferry family the first of the week from typhoid fever.

Several new cases of diphtheria have developed this week, but in a light form and all are on the right road to recovery.

Clean Your Walks.

Owners of property in Benton Harbor are hereby reminded that section 12 of a city ordinance relative to the use of streets, alleys, bridges, sidewalks, public places and public property expressly provides that when property owners fail to keep their sidewalks free from snow and ice it shall be the duty of the street commissioner to order those sidewalks cleared by the city at the expense of the property owners.

W. B. SHANKLAND,
Street Commissioner.

CASH IN A BANK.

CHARLES WOLIVER HEARS SOME GOOD NEWS.

He Had Over $600 in a Big Rapids Bank When It Was Closed Up.

Charles Woliver, the barber in THE NEWS block, had $600 and over on deposit with the Northern National bank of Big Rapids when that institution collapsed a few years ago. He has received three dividends amounting to $210, or 35 per cent.

A day or two ago he read in THE NEWS that his bank had declared its seventh dividend, making in all 80 per cent for the depositors. He is now making an effort to get the $300 and over due him. He scarcely knows how to go about it as he left his receiver's certificate for collection with another Big Rapids bank that has since failed.

$2.00 DINNER.

Prepared by The Evening News Contestants.

Following is one of the bills of fare entered in THE EVENING NEWS prize Christmas dinner contest, and designated by the judges as No. 23:

MENU
Roast Turkey with Dressing
Mashed Potatoes Mashed Turnips
Pickles
Bread Butter Cheese Crackers
Plum Pudding with Brandy Sauce
Mince Pie Cocoanut Cake
Coffee
Milk Sugar
Mixed Candies and Nuts

Itemized list Turkey, 5 lbs., 65c; turkey dressing—bread, 2 loaves, 5c; sage, 1c; butter, 2c. Potatoes, ½ pk, 8c; turnips, ½ pk., 4c; pickles, 1 bottle, 10c; bread (for table) 2 loaves, 5c; butter (for table) ½lb., 10c; cheese, ½lb., 7c; crackers, 1 lb., 5c. Plum pudding—beef suet, ½ lb., 4c, raisins, ½ lb., 4c; currants, ½ lb., 4c; sugar, ½ lb., 3c; flour, 1 lb., 3c; lemon peel, 5c. Brandy sauce—sugar, 1c; butter, 2c; flour, 1c; brandy, 5c. 1 mince pie, 10c; 1 cocoanut cake, 10c; coffee, ¼ lb., 6c; milk, 1 pt., 3c; sugar, (for table) 3c; salt, (for cooking and table) 1c; pepper, (for cooking and table) 3c; mixed candies and nuts, 10c; total, $2.—Mrs. J. Rufus, city.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

MICHIGAN.

Michigan Pensions.

Michigan pensions were granted Tuesday as follows: Original—John Flaherty, Algansee, $6; George H. Bain, Leavitt, $6. Increase—Joel Cross, Kalkaska, $14 to $30. Widows—Auguste Hess, Detroit, $8; Elizabeth Cuttle, Warren, $8; Mary A. Bowen, Detroit, $8; Lydia Gilbert (mother), Stetson, $12.

Senator Burrows was in Lansing Wednesday and just by accident he met Uncle Jimmy Monroe of Kalamazoo.

Parties cut a figure in the election of the farmers' mutual insurance company at Coldwater and the republicans won out.

Tecumseh has raised $14,000 bonus to secure the car shops of the Lima Northern railroad.

App M. Smith, mayor of Ludington, says the talk of impeaching him because he declared the present school tax levy illegal, is a silly canard. There is no provision in the state laws for such proceedings.

Prosecutor McDonald asked the supervisors for a stenographer, Monday, to draw up complaints against alleged Whitehall bank wreckers. He says all obstacles to the conviction of the accused have been done away with.

A farmer near Saginaw dug up a four-pound rock, which, when melted and analyzed, was found to contain silver and lead. The board of trade has the metal.

A wealthy Chicago woman, staying at the sanitarium at Battle Creek, was found drunk twice last week. She says it's a mental derangment, but the police say it is whiskey.

Farm Products Advancing.

The Michigan crop report for January says that compared with one year ago, there is an increase in the price of all farm products except hay, the average price of which is $1.39 per ton less.

The average increase in price is as follows: Wheat, 2 cents; corn, 5 cents, and oats, 4 cents per bushel; fat cattle, 75 cents; fat hogs, 14 cents, and dressed pork, 9 cents per cwt. The average prices of the several classes of horses range from $2.84 to $6.45 higher; milch cows, $4.53 higher, and the several classes of cattle other than milch cows, from $2.26 to $5.17 higher. Sheep under one year old have advanced 85 cents, and those over a year old, $1.09.

A Niles Invention.

A patent has just been issued D. D. Robinson of Niles on a device for removing tires.

Proved Priceless.—Ruby coats and cinnamon flavor. Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are household favorites. Impurities leave the system. The nerves are toned The blood is purified. The complexion is bright and ruddy. Headaches vanish and perfect health follows their use. 40 doses 10 cents. Sold by Geo. M. Bell & Co.—12.

Have glasses fitted by Dr. Antisdale.

Bought by the Government.

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was officially analyzed and found to be a pure cream of tartar powder or it would not have been bought.

Cleveland Baking Powder Co., New York.

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I have purchased in my life,
And to get a chance to split a stick
Must draw cuts with my wife.

My boy as soon as school is out
Comes hurrying on the run
Saying, "Papa may I split some wood?
Please, papa, it's such fun."
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TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

THURSDAY, JAN. 13, 1898.

...w that Senator Hanna has it what ...e do with it?

...ATOR Hanna wired to President ...inley: "God reigns and the re...can party still lives." Mr. Hanna ...queer idea of God. The use of ...e in the Ohio senatorial campaign ...r suggests that God has ceased ...gn in that part of the world.

...RRIEN Springs people have con...ed for ten electric lights of 1,200 ...le power at $75 per light. The ...act runs only for one year. In ...to secure the price of $80 in Ben...Harbor Colonel Bean wants to sad...three years' contract on the city ...lights. And Mr. Bean says his ...is amazingly fair.

...will be a nice compliment if the ...e confirms the appointment of ... E. H. Conger as minister to ...a. In the first place the president ...nated Charles Page Bryan of Illi...for the post but the senate refused ...onfirm the appointment on the ...d that Bryan did not have suffi... brains for the position. It is be...d that Mr. Conger will be able to ...e trying duties of the important ...matic post to the credit of his ...try.

...OMAS A. Edison is said to have ...vered by accident a process of ...ng cast iron as tough and strong ...ought iron. If the report is true, ... will be a revelution in many ...shes of the manufacturing busi... and the benefit to mankind in ...ral will be enormous. It is a curi...act that many of the greatest dis...ries are made by accident, but it ...ld not be forgotten that the per... to whom these accidents happen ...always industrious and alert. Lazy ...dull people never discover great ...s, or, if they do, they fail to no...the find. There is plenty of evi...e that the proverb, "All things ...to him who waits," was origi...l by Ananias.

IS THIS WOMAN A DEGENERATE?

Murders Her Stepdaughter and Nearly Gets Four Men Lynched.

...onquin, Ills., Jan. 13.—Mrs. Annie ...ert has confessed that she killed ...13-year-old stepdaughter Tuesday ... has been removed to the Wood... jail for safe keeping. The woman ... told her neighbors that a tramp ...shot the girl. Within an hour after ...crime was known searching parties ... scouring the country in every di...on for tramps.

...spicion did not attach to the wom...until the bloody dress she had worn ...e killing the girl was found thrown ...the side of an outbuilding not far ...the house. In the meantime four ...ps had been rounded up, Marshal ...d having driven one before him for ... miles at the point of a revolver, ...e the others had been encountered ...the posse sent out from Algonquin. ...he dress had not been found there ...ld probably have been a quadruple ...city in the way of a lynching.

Spanish Boat Captures a Filibuster.

...avana, Jan. 13.—The Spanish gun... Galcia has captured off the south ...t of Cuba, near Manzanillo, a fish... smack from Jamaica, having on ...d a cargo of war material, medi...s and clothing apparel.

...here is more Catarrh in this sec... of the country than all other dis...s put together, and until the last ... years was supposed to be incur...e. For a great many years doctors ...nounced it a local disease, and pre...bed local remedies, and by con...tly failing to cure with local treat..., pronounced it incurable. ...nce has proven catarrh to be a ...stitutional disease, and therefore ...uires constitutional treatment. ...'s Catarrh Cure, manufactured by ... Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is ...only constitutional cure on the ...ket. It is taken internally in doses ...10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts ...ctly on the blood and mucous sur...s of the system. They offer one ...dred dollars for any case it fails to ... Send for circulars and testi...als. Address,
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R. P. CHADDOCK,
Clerk Water Dep't,

...Fitted by Dr. Antisdale.

NO BREAK IN THE LINE

Hanna Holds the Vote That Elects Him United States Senator from the State of Ohio.

SEVENTY-THREE IN JOINT SESSION

Stand Firmly Together and the "Combine" Is Finally Defeated—Some Republican Leaders Who Were Not in at the Close and Were Not Expected—Senate Makes a Start to Investigate the Alleged Bribery—House May Be Reorganized.

Columbus, O., Jan. 13. — Marcus A. Hanna was elected yesterday to represent Ohio in the senate for seven years and two months. If McKinley should be re-elected Hanna would still bet here to the end of the president's second term. Including both the short and the long terms. Hanna's time as senator will expire in March, 1905. Less than two years ago Hanna entered politics, advocating William McKinley's candidacy for the presidency. He was successful as the leader of the McKinley forces at the St. Louis convention, and afterward as chairman of the national Republican committee. For almost a year he has been in the senate as the successor of John Sherman. During his short service in public life Hanna has participated in hard fighting, but he never before won such a victory as that of yesterday. Factional fighting has waged among Ohio Republicans for years.

Hanna Fights in the Open.

Others had been fighting under cover. Hanna came out openly at the state convention in Toledo last June and defeated Charles L. Kurtz, the close friend of Foraker, Bushnell and others, for chairman of the state committee. Kurtz had been a member of the state committee for many years and its chairman for 1895 and 1896. In the latter year Hanna, who was then managing the presidential campaign, was not satisfied with the work in Ohio, and he did not want Kurtz in that position for 1897. Hanna defeated Kurtz at Toledo for chairman, and has had a factional war on himself ever since. Although Hanna was duly declared senator at noon yesterday, for both the long and short terms, yet the opposition continued its fight in the afternoon and is still fighting.

Proposition Indignantly Rejected.

Previous to the joint balloting yesterday the opposition offered to support Senator Dodge, of Cleveland, for the short term, with McKisson for the long term. Dodge is a neighbor of Hanna in Cleveland, and was nominated and elected on pledges for Hanna. Dodge stated that the senators and representatives from Cleveland were instructed for Hanna, and indignantly rejected the proposition. The proposition was also made to Mrs. Dodge, who was equally as indignant as her husband. While there were many negotiations with the wives and other members of the families of senators and representatives during the past week or more, the effort to secure the influence of Mrs. Dodge was the last one reported.

Opposition Knew It Was Defeated.

The opposition yesterday knew it was defeated before the joint balloting began, but fought to the last on the charges of bribery and coercion. In the joint balloting yesterday there were no changes whatever by the senators over their two ballots of yesterday for the long and short terms. McKisson received 19 votes and Hanna 17. When the roll of the house was called it resulted in the ballots for both terms as follows: Hanna, 56; McKisson, 51; Lentz, 1, and one absent (Cramer).

One Fare to Indianapolis and Return.

The Big Four, January 23, 24 and 25, will sell tickets at one fare to Indianapolis and return on account of Monetary convention. L. G. SMITH, agent.

Lister's Bone Meal.

This famous bone meal which has stood the test of years may be obtained by leaving orders with H. P. Boehm, Benton Harbor. or with the general agent.
tf681 C. H. FARNUM, Hagar.

Embroidery Notice.

Ladies desiring to learn the art of embroidering can do so of Mrs. George Alger, 150 Garfield avenue. Two hour lessons for 35 cents. Samples of work can be seen and arrangements as to hours can be made at McOmber's Fair store, West Main street. 701tf

Bicycles are going at cost at Burkhard's this week. 633tf

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All winter goods must go in order to make room for our large stock of new spring goods which will arrive about February 1.

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Men's Elegant Wool Suit -	$3.48	LL Sheeting - - - -	3½c	Ladies' Elegant Wool Shirt Waists	.98
Men's Elegant Beaver Overcoats	4.98	Fruit and Lawsdale Muslin - -	6c	Ladies' Elegant Wrappers - -	.48
Men's Storm Ulsters - -	3.98	Elegant Cotton Batten per roll	4½c	Ladies' Elegant Capes and Jackets	2.98
Men's Durable Pants - - -	.59	Ladies' and Men's Underwear -	.19	Only 4 $20. Plush Coats left, each	10.00
Boys' strong school suits - -	.98	Children's Underwear - - -	.10	Ladies' Dress Skirts - -	1.98
Boys' elegant Ulsters and Reefers	1.98	Men's and Boys' Heavy Lined Duck Coats - - - -	.80	Men's and Boy's Sweaters - -	.19
Boys' Cotton Knee Pants - -	.09			Ladies' and Gents' Mackintoshes	1.98

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1 pkg white chip soap	.05	1 package sweet chocolate	.07
1 sack salt	.03	Oat meal per package	.08
12 bars soap	.25	8 pounds of best oat meal	.25
Salt pork per pound	.05	1 gal oil can with wood jacket	.10
6 bars Ivory soap	.25	1 lb Sal Soda	.02
1 lb crackers	.05	1 lb Rice	.05
1 lb good coffee	.10	1 pkg Arm & Hammer Saleratus	.05
1 lb of 50c tea for	.33	All kinds of pure spices, Cinnamon, Allspice, Cloves, Pepper, Mustard in pound lots	.25
1 lb can Salmon	.10		
1 lb Raisins	.06		
1 lb of 60c tea for	.45		

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ALL DRUGGISTS.

[illegible] the gentleman. But it is true that a gentleman cannot safely neglect the tailor's services if he wishes people in general to take him for what he is. A gentleman prominent in Canadian political life was somewhat too careless in this respect. This statesman was once on his way to call upon a friend in Quebec and stopped an Irishman in the street to inquire the way.

"Can you tell me where Mr. Hunter lives?" he asked.

"It's no use your going there," was the unexpected reply.

"But do you know where he lives?"

"Faith and I do, but it's no use going there."

The inquirer began to get angry.

"I didn't ask your advice. I simply want to know where Mr. Hunter lives."

"Oh, well, he lives down that street yonder, the first house round the corner, but I tell you it's no use your going there, for I've just been there myself, and he's already got a man."

Mr. Hunter had advertised for a servant the day before. The statesman, so the story goes, went at once and bought a new hat.—Nuggets.

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Men's good every day suits.....$2.00
Men's Fine Wool Suits.....$3.50
Men's best all wool Black Clay Worsted Suits, worth $10 and $12 our price only.....$6.48
Boys' good wearing Shoes.....75c
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

CONGREGATIONAL choir practice at the church at 7:15 tomorrow evening.

BERT Spaulding has returned to his old position as clerk at Fabry's drug store

THE Adams Express company has moved into the shoe store of M. S. Peck.

VOLHEIM & Sheldon are doing considerable business in selling farm machinery this early in the season.

MRS. John F. Knerl, 149 Vineyard avenue, is suffering from the effects of a fall she experienced yesterday.

THE Ladies' Aid society of the Church of God will meet at Mrs. H. Garett's on Morton Hill, Friday.

THE officials of the Big Four railroad company are in the city today consulting with the citizens in regard to matters not yet made public.

AS a result of the recent rains and thaw Ox Creek has again overflowed its banks and the marsh along the Big Four and M., B. H. & C. railroad tracks is covered with water.

ALBERT Walsh, the Bridgman man who was arrested a few days ago charged with non-support had his case adjourned in Justice Baldrey's court this morning until January 25.

IRA Ashman, the young man who was arrested in South Bend a few days ago charged with committing a crime in Galien, is having his hearing in Justice Baldrey's court this afternoon.

IT is Contractor L. L. Merrill, not George Mills as stated in THE NEWS last night, who has the contract for building the big ice house at Somerleyton. Mr. Merrill has hired his men and already has started the work.

I. BRUBAKER, the gentleman who makes a speciality of putting weather strips on doors and windows has been driven out of Grand Haven by the warm weather. Mr. Brubaker says it would be easier to sell fly screens or linen dusters.

THE Palladium stated last evening that Constable Sinsabaugh was in charge of the stock of C H. Soule. The fact is that the statement of the other paper was not a "fact." Mr. Soule was open as usual yesterday and his business is running along just as usual.

RUNNING a newspaper is dangerous business. THE NEWS has a correspondent at Galien who always writes below his items "Don't sign my name," and below this instruction he always draws an ugly vision of a skull and crossbones. By no oversight has the name of this correspondent been divulged.

AT the coming election a justice of the peace will be elected to succeed A. P. Cady. Mr. Cady was elected two years ago, but on account of the dispute over the terms of offices of the old justices he did not commence doing business until a year ago. It is a good republican doctrine to give a good official a second term and as Mr. Cady had a short term and has made a good record he will no doubt be renominated without any opposition.

THE revival meetings at the First Baptist church show increasing interest. A large audience was present last evening. Mr. Mays preached on the healing of the impotent man at the Pool of Bethesda. He spoke with great earnestness. In the aftermeeting a large number of Christians went forward to pray for the unsaved. Meetings tonight and tomorrow night at 7 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

TOCURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. P. on each tablet.

Treatment For Rheumatism.

The Russian peasants, more especially those residing in the neighborhood of Moscow, have a peculiar and original method of treating themselves for that bane of mankind, rheumatism. Many cures, even in very bad cases, are, it is claimed, effected by making the patient take ant baths.

The manner of preparing these baths is as follows: An anthill is sought, and when found a sack is filled with ants, ants' eggs, and, if it be considered necessary, a certain quantity of the earth which composes the hill. The sack is then closed hermetically and carried to the home of the sufferer. A warm bath is already prepared here, and the sack is plunged bodily into the hot water. Soon this latter begins to give off a peculiar pungent odor, characteristic of formic acid. The bath is now ready for the patient's immersion. The action of the bath on the skin is one of intense irritation, and the result seems to be a drawing out of the evil, and the consequent disappearance of the rheumatic pains.

It is advisable for any one who may be tempted to try this remedy to be careful not to remain too long in the ant bath, as the consequences might be a total disorganization of the skin, which would peel off, due to the violent action of the acid.—New York Commercial.

If you want a fine finish on your goods and a perfect fitting neck band go to the Enterprise laundry. t/603

You can get a cheap bicycle at Burkhard's.

One large picture given away with a dozen cabinets at A. D. Lacy's photo car. 691tf

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Judge Springer, Speaking on Indian Troubles, but Has Not Any Trouble.

Kansas City, Jan. 13.—United States Judge William M. Springer, of the Oklahoma district court, sent the following statement to The Star yesterday afternoon, in response to a request from that paper as to the Indian situation. It is dated at South McAlester, I. T., and says:

"Mr. J. M. McLoud, general solicitor of the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf Railroad company, has just arrived here from Shawnee, O. T., and reports that there is no truth in the reported Indian uprising on the Oklahoma-Seminole border. There is, however, great excitement, and many persons are leaving their homes near the border and taking refuge in neighboring Oklahoma towns.

"The Indians have been collecting, doubtless for some lawful purpose, but there is no evidence that they have killed any white persons in retaliation for the burning of the two Indians last Saturday morning near Maud, O. T. The United States officials are taking necessary precautions to preserve the peace. McLoud's statement is corroborated by the letter to me just received from United States Commissioner Fears at Wewokta, Seminole nation."

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Blankets and Comforters

A rare chance to buy warm cotton and wool blankets at from 25 to 33⅓ per cent off regular prices.

Lace Curtains

Bargains to clear the endless odd lots left from last week's busy whirl, all are to go without reserve at **25 per cent off.**

This sale is being recognized as the time of all times, the place of all places, to buy, as everything in this stock has been reduced for sure going. Every Department full of bargains go to make this the greatest sale on record.

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A cash discount of 25 per cent on all purchases of 50c and upwards at the

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Our qualities at the price have not been matched and will not be beaten in 1897.

The warm weather has left us with more Underwear than we should have at this season, and we will make prices that should clear the tables and benefit consumers.

We have 15 dozen Men's natural grey, double breasted, fleece lined shirts, with drawers to match, will be closed out, the suit for **35c**

10 dozen Men's ribbed Jersey Fleeced, ecru color, shirts and drawers, the suit for.... **75c**

10 dozen Boys' grey Jersey ribbed fleeced shirts and drawers, sizes 16 to 34, each at.. **19c**

5 doz. Ladies' ecru color, Jersey ribbed vests or pants, all sizes, choice **12 1-2c**

Misses' and Children's Combination Suits, all grades, put into two lots, a suit at..... **40c and 69c**

5 doz. Ladies' Combination Suits, all sizes, choice..... **42c**

Ladies' Jersey ribbed, cotton and wool mixed, vests or pants, 75c-85c goods, choice **62c**

A few Silk Ribbons still in stock, Nos. 5 to 40, at the old price of **5c and 10c.**

In Handkerchiefs we cannot mention the many styles and prices. One of the desirable things is a Gents' fine hemstitched, full size, Silkaline, at **12c**, and a Ladies' white, all linen, hemstitched, **8c** each.

Our Grocery Dept. is Becoming More Complete

Every day and the prices continue to make it popular. If you have trouble in getting a tea or coffee to suit, just give us a trial. Our blended goods cannot be beat, and prices range from 12c for a good fresh roasted Santos coffee to 40c for the best goods shown in this city.

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SOME PEOPLE WHO NEVER CAME,

And for Whose Presence No Arrangements Had Been Made.

Columbus, O., Jan. 13.—The fight over the senatorship from Ohio being ended and Marcus A Hanna elected for both long and short terms by the one vote in the joint ballot that was necessary, his partisans started in yesterday afternoon to celebrate the event. The demonstrations in the legislative hall were unusually enthusiastic. Governor Bushnell and some other state officers were not present. When Foraker was elected senator in the same hall two years ago, McKinley and Bushnell were both present, the one having just retired and the other having just been inaugurated governor. It has been customary in former years for the governor to be seated beside the lieutenant governor when the newly elected senator was escorted into the hall. Hanna was very busily engaged in his contest last Monday and didn't participate in the inauguration exercises. It is stated that no invitation or special arrangement had been made for him on that occasion and that the same was true regarding the governor yesterday.

Colonel J. L. Rodgers, the secretary to the governor, went to the Nell House at 4 p. m., bearing the commission of Hanna as United States senator for the short term. Hanna and half a dozen friends repaired to the ladies' parlor, where Colonel Rodgers presented the commission. Previous to the two houses of the legislature going into joint convention at noon for the election of a senator resolutions were offered in both houses for an investigation of the bribery charges made by Representative Otis, of Hamilton county. After the election of Hanna the house adjourned until today with its resolutions still under consideration.

Consideration of this resolution was resumed in the senate yesterday afternoon and adopted by a vote of 22 to 6. The dissenting votes were Blake, Carpenter, Garfield, May, Sullivan and Voight, who explained that they regarded the matter as buncombe. The committee of five appointed under this resolution began its work last night, but nothing addditional was developed. After their sessions today both branches of the legislature will adjourn till Monday. After the adoption by the senate of the resolution to investigate all bribery charges the Bramley bill to repeal the fifty-year street railway franchise law was discussed at length with many passages on the recent senatorial contest.

Among the representatives during the afternoon there was considerable agitation of a proposition to reorganize the house by ousting Speaker Mason and all other officers of that body that had been elected by the fusion ten days ago. It was claimed that fifty-six representatives who voted for Hanna yesterday and constituted a majority of three in the house would stand together for that purpose. No plans for the reorganization of the senate are considered, for the reason that Burke continues to co-operate with the Democrats, which leaves that body 15 to 17 as it was organized. If Burke co-operated with the other Republicans the senate would stand a tie politically and could not be reorganized.

Hanna Quotes Garfield's Phrase.

Columbus, O., Jan. 13.—Senator Hanna has received over 2,000 congratulatory telegrams. All the members of the national Republican committee and many state committeemen and other representative Republicans from all the states and various county chairmen are included among them. He has sent the following addressed to the president: "God reigns and the Republican party still lives." In reply he received this from the executive mansion at Washington: "Mrs. McKinley joins me in hearty congratulations."

Hopeless Task.

"What strange methods some men adopt to get wives," she remarked as she looked up from the newspaper which she had quietly appropriated as hers by right because she was first at the breakfast table.

"What's happened now?" he asked.

"Why, a New York widower has made application for one at the barge office where the immigrants land," she explained. "He says he wants a woman who is thoroughly respectable, of kindly disposition, fairly good looking, good to children, obedient"—

"Hold on," he interrupted. "What's that last?"

"Obedient."

"He might as well give up."—Chicago Post.

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EMMA CANTRELL, Commander.
MARGARET MURRAY, Record Keeper.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—BANNER Camp No. 40 commencing April 30, meet every other Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at G. A. R. hall on West Main street. Visiting sovereigns will be cordially received.
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12:25	3:57	3:15	St. Joseph	10:20	7:59	2:59
3:20	6:50	6:40	Chicago	7:20	5:15	11:30
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5 15	10 30	St. Joseph	2 15	9 15
5 45	11 08	Baroda	1 51	8 43
6 12	11 29	Galien	1 33	8 16
7 00	12 08	South Bend	12 53	7 30
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Effective Sunday, December 5, 1897.

Going South No. 3 Daily Ex. Sun. p m	No. 1 Daily Ex. Sun. a m	Mls from B. H.	Stations	Going North No. 2 Daily Ex. Sun. a m	No. 4 Daily Ex. Sun. p m
4 00	7 00		Lv Ben. H'rbr Ar	11 20	6 45
*4 16	*7 14	8.2	Royalton	*11 01	*6 27
*4 25	*7 21	11.4	Hinchman	*10 52	*6 19
4 42	7 33	16 5	Berrien Springs	10 38	6 06
*4 51	*7 41	19.5	Oakland	*10 26	*5 56
5 10	8 00	27.0	Ar Buchanan Lv	10 00	5 35

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Death and Destruction Also Left in the Wake of the Storm at Van Buren, Ark.—Fire Helps the Destruction at Fort Smith and the Victims' Bodies Are Roasted, Perhaps Before Death—Relief Is Rapidly Organized and Money Is Coming in Freely from Various Points.

Fort Smith, Ark., Jan. 13.—Two score of human lives and upwards of $1,000,000 worth of property were destroyed by a terrible tornado which burst upon this city a few minutes past 11 o'clock Tuesday night. The storm struck near the National cemetery and tore its way through the entire city, leaving its path marked by death and desolation. Men, women and children, peacefully sleeping in their homes, were without a moment's warning awakened to meet a horrible death in the fearful storm, while others momentarily more fortunate, and who escaped the furies of the wind, met a far worse fate a few moments later in the flames which soon engulfed many of the wrecked buildings. The scene following the first terrific crash of the storm was one of awful grandeur. Business blocks, handsome mansions, hotels and humble cottages were razed to the ground and scattered in shapeless masses. Several of the wrecks caught fire and the inflammable timbers burned furiously.

Full Horror May Never Be Known.

The city was crowded with rural visitors, many of whom were sleeping at boarding houses unregistered. For this reason the number of victims who perished in Fort Smith Tuesday may never be definitely known. The storm struck the city near the National cemetery and swept its way through the heart of the town. Leaving Fort Smith, it bounded by Van Buren and continued down the river, demolishing everything in its path. News from outside points is not yet at hand, but rumors of much damage as far south as Alma have reached here, it being reported that a number of persons were killed near that place. The citizens' relief committee has $10,000 in hand for assisting sufferers. President Robinson, of the 'Frisco railroad, unsolicited, sent his check for $1,000. The Missouri Pacific railroad also sent $1,000. Business is practically abandoned all over the city and men of all classes are assisting in clearing the debris.

Fire Attacks One Ruin.

The upper floor of the block on the corner of Garrison and Towsou avenue is used as a flat. The ruins caught fire from the night lamp. Seven bodies were taken from these ruins, two of them being so badly burned that they could scarcely be identified. Burgess hotel, a three story brick on Towsou avenue, was demolished. There have been eight bodies already taken from the ruins. The federal court is in session and that brought a great many farmers here who crowded the cheaper boarding houses and wagon yards. The National House, a two-story frame, went down in wreckage with fifteen inmates, but all escaped without serious injury. George Carter's house was one of the first ones struck, and it was turned completely over and is now supported on the roof. A half pane of glass was driven through Carter's neck, almost severing his head from the trunk.

National Cemetery Devastated.

The beautiful national cemetery is a wreck. The trees are uprooted, the lodge demolished and the wall torn down. Fort Smith's $50,000 high school building, the finest of its kind in the southwest, was badly wrecked, but was one of the few buildings upon which there was any tornado insurance. The tornado destroyed two historic buildings. Judge Parker's residence is badly wrecked and the old Rector mansion, where Albert Pike passed his days, is a pile of ashes, the ruins having caught fire from a lamp. The first Baptist church and the Central Methodist church were razed to the ground and are now only a scattered pile of kindling wood. The church of the Immaculate Conception and Brownscombe Memorial church lost their spires and sustained other damage.

NAMES OF THE DEAD AND INJURED.

Former Number Forty-One and There Are Nearly Fifty Seriously Wounded.

Following are the lists of dead and wounded: Dead—Silar Mincer, prominent young merchant; Harvey Ruttledge, a negro; Mary Timmerman; two unknown men from the Burgess hotel; Joe Griswold, tailor; John Martin and J. B. Riley, of Madison county; George Carter, fireman at Grand Opera House; Mrs. Milt Burgess, proprietress of the Burgess hotel; two unknown men, died at St. John's hospital; J. M. Foutz and Joe Kyle, farmers; two Lefevre boys; Malt Knapton, Jr.; Mrs. Malt Knapton; Joe Lucas, negro; Ed Ferol, butcher, and his two little children Irene and Roy; Frank Richardson, restaurant keeper; John Adams, carpenter; Mrs. Charles Mauver; —— Ritter, gardener; Mrs. Will Lawson; Louie Sengel; Miss Holden; John Badt, farmer; Mrs. Maggie Sheehan's infant; L. Woehle, butcher; James Smith, clerk, and Mrs. Jones. James Smith, Jr., Mr. Gray, son and wife, Atlas Jones, Frank LeFevre and Etta Kies.

The wounded—Frank McGruder, chest crushed; unknown tramp, body mashed, will die; Mrs. Emma Austin, leg broken; Mrs. Whitney, wounded on head; Emma Whitney, injuries to chest and body; Julia Whitney, internal injuries; M. Gerger, wounded on head and evidence of contusion; Irving Kohler, shoulder broken; Mrs. John Beal, ribs broken; may die; Baby Beal, badly bruised, may die; Mrs. Kohler, leg broken; Mrs. John Adams, injured about neck and shoulders; Joseph Jones, leg cut and arms fractured; Miss Wilkinson, arm broken; M. Brobick, [illegible] Knapton, arm and leg broken; William Blake, injured internally; H. H. Fisher, arm broken; W. A. Dumford, hip dislocated; J. J. Short, spine and head injured; Mrs. Braden, arm broken; D. L. Grimes, collar bone broken; —— Martin, chin fractured and side bruised; —— Hosea, jaw broken; William Lawson, back injured; Bell Martin, chest smashed; Tony Eberhart, hips bruised; F. E. Hubbell, back hurt; R. H. Crenholder, back injured; A. B. Stafford, back injured; —— Ashworth, chest crushed; Dr. Gate, both arms broken; Mrs. Gate, badly bruised; mother of Mrs. Gate, seriously crushed; Minnie Burgess, spine injured; Mrs. E. Crell, injured about chest; Mrs. Hugh Rogers, badly bruised about the body; Mr. and Mrs. Ritter, caught under falling walls; Mrs. F. H. Brown, body crushed; Mrs. Luther Huntley, chest crushed; —— Lane, hip dislocated; Ed Yaten, badly bruised; —— Wolsey, seriously hurt; R. L. Hirschberger, shoulder dislocated, injured about head; Miss Lily Stahl, seriously injured; D. D. Foreman, arm and leg broken; William Blake, injured internally.

DEVASTATION AT VAN BUREN.

Death Roll Will Be Long of People Fatally Hurt in the Storm.

Van Buren, Ark., Jan. 13.—The tornado that descended upon Fort Smith Tuesday night crossed the Arkansas river half a mile south of here and tore a path 200 yards wide through this (Crawford) county and dealt death and devastation to everything in its path. The first house it struck was that of William Hines, occupied by a colored family, who left the house just as it left its foundation. The house was demolished, but the occupants escaped. The next house in line was Frank Boatright's. It was a large two-story frame house, and nothing remains of it but the floor. Boatright, a son and a daughter, were badly injured.

The houses of Walter Haley and Mrs. Keller were on an adjoining farm and were blown entirely away, not a vestige of them being left; the families of both were injured. Jim Shibley's store and dwelling were blown down, but none of the occupants was injured. Charles Wright was blown from his house and fatally injured. Ed Blakemore was instantly killed by his house blowing down on him. The house of Mrs. Bush was demolished and she was crushed into a shapeless mass of flesh and bone, and two of her children, aged 8 and 16, were fatally hurt.

It is estimated 100 head of cattle and horses were in the path of the tornado and were killed, or injured so badly that they had to be killed. It is five miles on a direct line from Van Buren to Fort Smith, and debris from there was strewn over the ground three miles beyond here. A mass meeting was held here last night to relieve the destitute.

ILLINOIS SENATE TAKES A REST.

No More Business This Week — House Passes and Defeats Tax Bills.

Springfield Jan. 13.—The only business transacted in the senate yesterday was the reading of the senate revenue bill a second time. When the secretary concluded the reading Crawford moved that further consideration be postponed until next Tuesday. The motion prevailed and an adjournment was taken for the day. This practically means that no further business will be transacted in the senate this week, or until the police investigation committee returns from Chicago.

In the house LaMonte's bill taxing grain in elevators was advanced to third reading. Nohe's bill authorizing the state board of equalization to assess "all companies or associations incorporated under the laws of other states, territories or foreign countries and doing business in this state, in the same manner as domestic corporations, was passed—yeas, 100; nays, 35. The house than took up on third reading the bill taxing gas companies 4 per cent. on their gross earnings, in addition to present taxes, and it was defeated—61 to 48. Notice of a motion to reconsider was given.

The house adopted a resolution declaring that all property shall be listed for taxation at cash value and passed the senate bill appropriating $15,000 for salaries of the present extra session.

Pingree Still After the Corporations.

Detroit. Jan. 13.—Governor Pingree and nearly all the chiefs of the state departments held an all-night conference at the governor's residence in this city to discuss the advisability of convening the legislature of Michigan Feb. 1 in special session, to pass, if the governor's friends are sufficiently strong, laws to fix railway fares and make the corporations pay taxes. Governor Pingree refuses to discuss the situation, but his advisers announce unofficially that the legislature will be reconvened.

Muskegon Concern in Trouble.

Muskegon, Mich., Jan. 13.—Against the assets of the Consolidated Steel Rail Joint company, of this city, attachments for some $4,700 have been levied by employes and merchants who hold the company's time orders. The trouble is attributed to Edward B. Jennings, of Chicago, the moneyed man of the firm, severing his connection with the company. An effort is now being made to reorganize under the name of the Michigan Iron and Steel company.

Ends the Illinois Democratic Fight.

Washington, Jan. 13. — Andrew J. Hunter, of the Ninth district of Illinois, was yesterday elected the Illinois member of the Democratic congressional committee. The election ends a vigorous fight that has been waged in the ranks of the Democratic members of the Illinois delegation. Hinrichsen had heretofore a candidate for the membership and had been confident of the chairmanship of the congressional committee.

Iowa Master Plumbers Meet.

Dubuque, Ia., Jan. 13.—The state convention of master plumbers of Iowa closed yesterday to meet at Boone next year. Officers elected were Fred Wernenton, Davenport, president; E. O. Edson, Cedar Rapids, secretary; W. Recene, Des Moines, delegate to the national convention.

Confirmed by the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Among the nominations confirmed by the senate yesterday were these: Collectors of internal revenue—Charles Wright, First Michigan district; John Patterson, Third Iowa; John M. Kemble, Fourth Iowa, and S. M. Lemon, Fourth Michigan.

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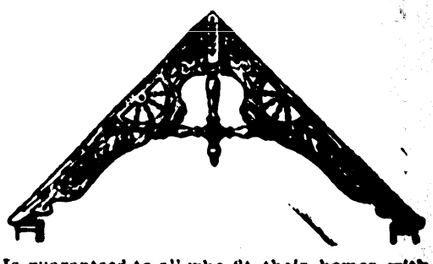

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

What Benton Harbor's People and Societies Are Doing.

About fifty ladies gathered at the hospitable home of Mrs. S. M. White, Wednesday afternoon at the regular meeting of the Womans' Home Missionary society. The president led in a brief devotional exercise and then Miss A. E. Matthews of New York City was introduced and spoke for forty minutes on her work among the emigrants landed at Ellis Island. She gave a number of incidents showing how she could assist even those who could speak no English while she speaks only English. Her work is mostly among young unprotected girls and women alone with families of children who reach our shores with no knowledge of our customs, our money or our language and often with little or no money. Miss Matthews is an entertaining and instructive speaker and will speak on some of the various lines of the work of the Home Missionary society next Sunday evening at the M. E church.

The Inter Nos club was delightfully entertainod last evening by Miss Mabel Morrill, at her home in the Newland block. After several hours at cards, refreshments were served and a social hour with music was enjoyed. Several new members were admitted.

The Home circle meets with Mrs. Will Chapman Friday afternoon with the following program: Roll call, Russian composers; piano duet, Mrs. Watson and Chapman; Rubenstein, Mrs. Barker; piano solo, Mrs. Warner; violin solo, Mrs. Eastman; piano duet, Mrs. Warner and Poundstone; Chopin, Mrs. Smith; vocal solo, Mrs. Monger.

A. T. Patterson, who has just sold his printing office, expects to go south in a few weeks.

The select party given last evening at the home of John Vernon was well attended. Music was furnished by Waid and Bailiff.

William Wallace, of Wallace Bros., went to Chicago today to purchase their regular stock of goods. The line which they have been carrying was a special one for the holidays.

Miss Maude Buck has returned after a two weeks' visit at Dowagiac.

Lyman Hamlin of Oelwein, Iowa, arrived in the city last night. He was called here on account of the dangerous illness of his uncle, A. Hamlin.

The Ossoli society will meet with Mrs. J. N. Reed, Colfax avenue, Friday afternoon.

A. J. Kidd went to Hartford last night to invoice the grocery stock of J. H. Regal.

Mrs. J D. Miller left this morning for La Grange, Ind., for a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives.

At a regular meeting of the Henry C. Rowe Circle Ladies of the G. A. R., the following officers were installed: President, Nellie L. Ward; senior vice, Mary Smith; junior vice, Mary Godfrey; treasurer, Edith C. Miles; chaplain, Elizabeth Jennings; secretary, Helen Clarke; conductress, Addie Lewis; guard, Marilla Conkey. Col L. M. Ward being our installing officer was tendered a vote of thanks, for the efficient work rendered, after which the meeting was informally closed and a general social time and feast was enjoyed.

Hon. A. C. Bird, brother of H. L. Bird, is in the city.

Harry Pound expects to leave for Fort Smith, Ark., Saturday. This is the place visited by the cyclone.

Mr. Chiels, late manager of the Excelsior Clothing company, is in the city and expects to go south Saturday.

THE WHEAT MARKET.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13 —Comparative closing prices on wheat for two days.

	Jan. 12	Jan. 11
Wheat—January	$ 91	$ 92¼
May	90½	91
July	81¼	81⅝
Corn—January	26½	26⅝
May	29	29⅛
July	30	30⅛
Oats—January	22	22
May	23⅝	23¾
July	22¼	22⅜

Wallace Bros. are giving away two bicycles and a $15 pipe.

Where There Are No Old Maids.

In Greece it is considered an overlasting disgrace to remain an old maid. Girls are betrothed very often when still tiny babies. Marriages of love are absolutely unknown, even more so than in France, and the father is most particular that the intended husband must have an ample provision to support a wife and family. For the girl a dowry is not so important as in France, but a certain amount of linen and household furniture is generally required. The whole training and education of a Greek girl are simply a preparation to render her brilliant in the society of the great world. Her toilet is a subject of constant anxiety. Although most Greek girls are naturally very pretty, they begin to paint and powder from a very early age—cheeks bright red, eyebrows and lashes deepest black and veins delicately blue. The result is she is a withered old woman at 40, and nowhere are uglier women to be found than beneath the blue skies of lovely Greece. Next in importance to beauty come languages. Every Greek family who can afford it keeps a French nurse or maid, and French is universally spoken in society. Painting and music are quite unnecessary, but girls are carefully trained in dancing and drilled to enter a room and sit down with elegance. Lastly, household duties are taught—how to make rose jam, Turkish coffee and various delicate sweetmeats similar to what we call Turkish delight.—Philadelphia Times.

OUTER GARMENTS.

What to Wear In Order to Be Both Warm and Fashionable.

Ball gowns for young girls being usually of very light materials, ball wraps are not very heavy, as they would then crush the toilet beneath. Plain satin, silk and wool moires or broche satins with a design of little flowers are the fabrics most often chosen for evening capes, which are made of half length, with a capuchon which may be raised over the head. A wadded lining is used, and fur, feathers or down forms the trimming, ribbons being placed on the hood and at the closing in front.

Muffs are no longer diminutive articles, little more than a name. They are of ample dimensions this season and of various odd shapes, often having a deep ruffle at each end. Velvet muffs trimmed with fur, flowers, ribbon and a jeweled buckle are much worn.

The little animal boas, with a natural head, so much worn for the past year or two, are sometimes used as a trimming instead of a neck wrap. A short, close bodice may be decorated by placing the head of the boa at the waist, the body passing upward around the collar.

Entire skins of blue or silver fox are made into boas for wear on very cold days. They are large, warm and eminently fashionable.

Close bodices of cloth, embroidered, braided or adorned with applications, are

ASTRAKHAN CAPE.

a feature of the mode and serve as an excuse for the most fanciful needlework, as the decoration may be done at home. Braid, heavy cord, narrow gimp, beads and spangles are the trimmings employed in following out the design.

An illustration is given of an elegant cape of astrakhan. The fur is partly covered by deep points of blue velvet embroidered with jet spangles. The capuchon of plain blue velvet is bordered with astrakhan, and a high collar is of fur. The muff of velvet and astrakhan matches the cape. A toque of blue velvet trimmed with pheasant's plumes is worn.

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Sympathetic Husband.

"How is your wife coming on?" asked an East St. Louis man of an old negro whom he met in the Grand Union depot.

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